

# AHLCON PUBLIC SCHOOL

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As per the Directions of the Directorate of Education, issued via Circular No. DE.23(749)/Sch.Br./2025/976 dated 24.10.2025, and in alignment with the National Education Policy (NEP) 2020, the following age criteria and structural changes will come into effect from the Academic Session 2026–2027.

## Age Criteria for Admission 2026-27 (as on 31 March 2026)

Class	Minimum & Maximum Age
Nursery (Balvatika 1 / Pre-School 1)	3+ years upto 4 years

## Key Changes as per Directorate of Education

- The earlier **2-year Pre-Primary System (PS & PP)** is now revised to a **3-year Balvatika System**:
  - **Balvatika 1** – Nursery
  - **Balvatika 2** – LKG
  - **Balvatika 3** – UKG

## Phase-wise Implementation of NEP 2020

Phase	Academic Year	Implementation Details	Age Requirement
Phase 1	2026–27	Introduction of Nursery (Balvatika 1)	3+ upto 4 years
Phase 2	2027–28	Introduction of LKG (Balvatika 2)	4+ upto 5 years
		Introduction of UKG (Balvatika 3)	5+ upto 6 years
Phase 3	2028–29	Implementation of uniform age of class 1	6+ upto 7 years

## No Impact on Existing Students (2025–26)

- The directive is applicable **only for new admissions from 2026–27 onwards**.
- Students already enrolled in **2025–26** will continue under the **existing class structure and age criteria**.
- No changes are required for students currently studying in the school.